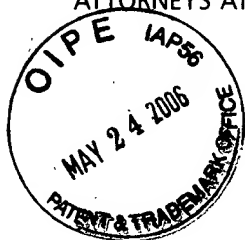


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Art Unit 1652

Attn: Certificate of Correction Branch

Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
Patent No. 6,783,965; Issued: August 31, 2004
For: **Aggregate-Free Urate Oxidase for Preparation of Non-Immunogenic
Polymer Conjugates**
Inventors: SHERMAN *et al.*
Our Ref: 2057.0080000/JAG/BJD

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Credit Card Payment Form (PTO-2038) in the amount of \$100.00 to cover: \$100.00 Certificate of Correction fee;
2. Request for Certificate of Correction Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.322 and 1.323, with a copy of the Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.324(a) to Correct Inventorship in a Patent attached;
3. Certificate of Correction; and
4. One (1) return postcard.

It is respectfully requested that the attached postcard be stamped with the date of filing of these documents, and that it be returned to our courier. In the event that extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.

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The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

Respectfully submitted,

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Patent No: 6,783,965

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Confirmation No.: 4303

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Examiner: Pak, Yong D.

Atty. Docket: 2057.0080000/JAG/BJD

**Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.324(a) to Correct
Inventorship in a Patent**

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is hereby petitioned that the United States Patent and Trademark Office correct inventorship in the above-captioned patent. Specifically, the Office is requested to change the inventorship in this patent from:

Merry R. Sherman, Mark G.P. Saifer and L. David Williams

To

Merry R. Sherman, Mark G.P. Saifer, L. David Williams, Michael S. Hershfield
and Susan J. Kelly

Further, the Office is requested to issue a certificate naming only the actual inventors.

This request is accompanied by:

- (1) A statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.324(b)(1) from each person to be added as an inventor, stating that the error in

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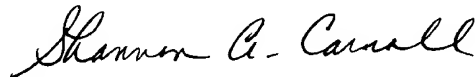
inventorship was made without deceptive intention on their part;

- (2) A statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.324(b)(2) from each of the currently named inventors, who have not submitted a statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.324(b)(1), stating that each has no disagreement in regard to the requested change;
- (3) Statements from the assignees of the individuals submitting a statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.324(b)(1) and (2) agreeing to the change of inventorship in the patent;
- (4) Statements under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) executed by the assignees identified in part (3); and
- (5) The fee set forth under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(b).

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**UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
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PATENT NO: 6,783,965

DATED: August 31, 2004

INVENTOR(S): SHERMAN *et al.*

It is certified that error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below.

On the face page, 1st column, please delete section (75), "Merry R. Sherman, San Carlos, CA (US); Mark G.P. Saifer, San Carlos, CA (US); L. David Williams, Fremont, CA (US);" and insert therein -- Merry R. Sherman, San Carlos, CA (US); Mark G.P. Saifer, San Carlos, CA (US); L. David Williams, Fremont, CA (US); Michael S. Hershfield, Durham, NC (US); Susan J. Kelly, Chapel Hill, NC (US);--

and

In column 18, please delete claim 8, "The uricase of claim 7, wherein the chimeric uricase is porcine uricase in which arginine residue 291 of SEQ ID NO:2 has been replaced by lysine (R291 K) and threonine residue 301 of SEQ ID NO:2 has been replaced by serine (T301 S) (PKS uricase)." and insert therein -- The uricase of claim 7, wherein the chimeric uricase is porcine uricase in which arginine residue 291 of SEQ ID NO:1 has been replaced by lysine (R291 K) and threonine residue 301 of SEQ ID NO:1 has been replaced by serine (T301 S) (PKS uricase). --

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Sir:

It is hereby requested that a Certificate of Correction under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.322 and 1.323 be issued for the above-captioned United States Patent. This Certificate of Correction is being requested due to mistakes which appear in the printed patent. These mistakes were made by both the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and by Applicants. The mistakes made by Applicants are of a clerical or typographical nature, or of a minor character. Patentee(s) submit that correction of these errors does not introduce new matter.

Specifically, the printed patent contains the following errors for which a Certificate of Correction is respectfully requested:

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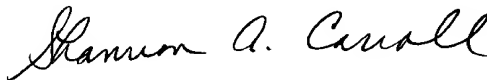
The above-noted corrections do not involve such changes in the patent as would constitute new matter or would require reexamination.

A completed Form PTO/SB/44 accompanies this request, with the above-noted corrections printed thereon. Accordingly, a Certificate of Correction is believed proper and issuance thereof is respectfully requested.

This request is accompanied by payment of the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(a). Fee payment is provided in the attached Credit Card Payment Form (PTO-2038). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

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